

**Government Operations Committee 1**

**Amendment No. 2 to HB1049**

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Signature of Sponsor**

**AMEND Senate Bill No. 999**

**House Bill No. 1049\***

by deleting subsection 49-1-1207(a) in SECTION 1 and substituting the following:

(a) The total number of scholarships awarded statewide under this part shall be limited as follows:

(1) For the 2016–2017 school year, the department shall award no more than five thousand (5,000) scholarships;

(2) For the 2017–2018 school year, the department shall award no more than seven thousand five hundred (7,500) scholarships;

(3) For the 2018–2019 school year, the department shall award no more than ten thousand (10,000) scholarships; and

(4) For the 2019–2020 school year and thereafter, the department shall award no more than twenty thousand (20,000) scholarships.

**AND FURTHER AMEND** by deleting Section 49-1-1209 in SECTION 1 and substituting the following:

**49-1-1209.** The state board is authorized to promulgate rules, in accordance with the Uniform Administrative Procedures Act, compiled in title 4, chapter 5, to effectuate the purposes of this part; provided, that the state board shall not promulgate any emergency rule, pursuant to § 4-5-208, for the implementation of this part prior to August 1, 2016.

**AND FURTHER AMEND** by deleting the effective date section and substituting the following:

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law for purposes of promulgating rules and procedures, the public welfare requiring it. For all other purposes, this act shall take effect January 1, 2016, the public welfare requiring it.